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Sir:

REQUEST FOR TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

Applicants respectfully request that applicants' undersigned attorney be permitted to conduct a telephone interview with the Examiner to discuss the Response being filed concurrently herewith and the subject application in the event the Examiner is not disposed to allow the application. The Examiner is requested to telephone applicants' undersigned attorney at the number below to arrange for such an interview. If applicants' undersigned attorney has not been contacted by the Examiner within a reasonable time of filing this Request, applicants' undersigned attorney will call the Examiner to arrange for the interview.

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Dated: May 3, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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